

A LOW-NITROGEN CONTENT PHENOL-FORMALDEHYDE RESIN**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

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A low-nitrogen content, high molecular weight, phenol-formaldehyde resin. The low-nitrogen content, high molecular weight, phenol-formaldehyde resin has a nitrogen content of from about 0 to 3%, a viscosity of from about 20 to 2000 cps at 20°C, and a molar ratio of formaldehyde/phenol of from about 1.2 to 3.0.

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